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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ETRD CS

SUBJ: TEXTILES: CONSULTATIONS WITH GOCR

REF: SAN JOSE 0489

1. AS FOLLOW-UP TO EMBASSY REQUEST FOR BILATERAL CONFLTATIONS ON TEXTILES (SEE REFTEL), MINISTRY OF ECONOMY, INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE (MEIC) OFFICIALS INFORMED EMBOFF ON JANUARY 31 THAT MEETING WITH US REPS FOR WEEK OF FEBRUARY 27 WAS ACCEPTABLE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS. FIRST, MEIC REITERATED THAT MEETING WOULD HAVE TO BE OF A PRELIMINARY, EXPLORATORY NATURE AND T GAT NO SUBSTANTIVE AGREE-
MENT SHOULD BE EXPECTED. MEIC EXPLAINED THAT BECAUSE OF PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION AND CHANGE OF ADMINISTRATION (EVEN IF INCUMBENT PARTY WINS), GOCR WOULD NOT BE IN POSTION TO REACH AGREEMENT SO SOON AFTER ELECTIONS.IJECOND, MEIC EXPRESSED PREFERENCE THAT US TEAM CONSIST OF NO MORE THAN TWO REPRESENTATIVES, A LIMITATION THAT WOULD EMPHASIZE PRELIMINARY NATURE OF CONSULTATIONS. WHEN EMBOFF PARSED ON THIS POINT, MEIC WAS LESS ADAMANT BUT EXPRESSED STRONG PREFERENCE FOR SMALLER VISITING DELEGATION. THIRD, GOCR DELEGATION WOULD BE HEADED BY VICE-MINISTER RATHER THAN MINISTER. FYI. ANY SUBSTANTIVE DECISION ON AGREEMENT WILL BE MADE AT MINISTERIAL LEVEL; ASSIGN-
MENT OF VICE-MINISTER AS HEAD OF DELEGATION IS INTENDED TO EMPHASIZE GOCR VIEW THAT TALKS ARE OF A PRELIMINARY NATURE. END FYI.

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2. EMBASSY COMMENT: GOCR HAS BEEN VERY FORTHCOMING TO OUR REQUEST FOR TEXTILE CONSULTATIONS. ACCORDINGLY, EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT WE AVYDE TO GOCR REQUEST THAT VISITING TEXTILE TEAM BENRMITED TO TWO MEMBERS. HOWEVER, IF DEPARTMENT SO INSTRUCTS, EMBASSY WILL AGAIN SEEK GOCR CONCURRENCE IN VISIT BY FULL TEXTILE TEAM.
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